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COLVILLE RESERVATION-FERRY COUNTY EXTENSION

WSU- Seisen University Global Citizenship Program

The WSU-Seisen University Global Citizenship Program is a 4-H youth development initiative housed on the Colville Indian Reservation. University students from Seisen University, Tokyo, Japan and students from the Colville Reservation explore similarities and differences that exist between their cultures. This is a program facilitated by WSU Colville Reservation- Ferry County Extension in partnership with Seisen University and the Colville Confederated Tribes.

Students spend two weeks together participating in community service projects, school events, adventure based activities and their time together culminates with the Friendship Pow Wow in Inchelium, WA. Dancers and drummers from across the reservation that worked with the Global Citizenship Program gather to honor the cultures with traditional dancing, activities and a traditional feast.

International exchange programs can have positive impacts on youth and this world class program is touching the lives of everyone involved. New perspectives and perceptions result from these groups learning and teaching each other what it means to be a global citizen. If you have any questions about the WSU-Seisen University Global Citizenship Program or you would like to be involved in this program please contact the WSU Colville Reservation Office at (509) 634-2304.



Cooperating Agencies: Washington State University, U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA FRETEP Award # 2009-41580-05326) and Colville Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation, Colville Agency BIA, and Ferry County Extension. Daniel Fagerlie, Project Director, Fagerlie@wsu.edu Extension programs and employment are available to all without discrimination. Evidence of noncompliance may be reported to your local Extension office.

Persons with a disability requiring special accommodations while participating in this program may contact WSU Colville Reservation Ferry County Extension at 9 Methow St. Nespelem, WA 99155, (509) 634-2304, or phil_linden@wsu.edu at least five days before the program.